

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L GENEVA 5831

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PARM, CCD

SUBJECT: CCD - UK PROPOSAL ON ENMOD DEFINITIONS

1. AT JULY 21 MEETING OE ENMOD WORKING GROUP, UK  
REP (ALLEN) PASSED TEXT OF ANNEX DEFINING TERMS  
"WIDESPREAD, LONG-LASTING OR SEVERE" TO AMBASSADOR MARTIN,  
SAYING IT HAD BEEN DRAFTED IN LONDON AND THAT HE HAD  
INSTRUCTIONS TO TABLE IT IN ENMOD WORKING GROUP AFTER  
CONSULTATION WITH US. ALLEN EMPHASIZED HE WAS NOT TRYING  
TO MAKE DIFFICULTIES FOR US AND WOULD LIKE OUR VIEWS  
AS TO WHETHER TABLING THIS TEXT WOULD BE HELPFUL.

2. ACTION REQUESTED: GUIDANCE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.  
SINCE TEXT ORIGINATED IN LONDON, IT MIGHT BE MORE  
EXPEDITIOUS TO DISCUSS ANY DIFFICULTIES WITH UK EMBASSY.

3. TEXT OF UK DRAFT ANNEX FOLLOWS; DOUBLE PARENTHESES  
INDICATE BRACKETS. BEGIN TEXT:

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TERM:

(A) "WIDESPREAD" REFERS TO EFFECTS GOING BEYOND THE PURELY LOCAL AND EXTENDING TO AN AREA OF MORE THAN ((500)) SQUARE KILOMETERS;

(B) "LONG-LASTING" REFERS TO EFFECTS LASTING LONGER THAN ((4)) MONTHS;

(C) "SEVERE" REFERS TO EFFECTS WHICH CAUSE LOSS OF LIFE OR PERMANENT INJURY TO PERSONS, OR DAMAGE TO PROPERTY IN EXCESS OF ((US \$10,000 AT CONSTANT 1976 PRICES)). END TEXT. DALE

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